

But the bill on balance will not provide much help to Ukraine.

We must do better than this to build democracy and continue economic reforms in Ukraine.

CONGRATULATIONS DR. GEORGE
MITCHELL

HON. GLENN POSHARD

OF ILLINOIS

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Mr. POSHARD. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to pay special tribute to Dr. George Mitchell of Marshall, IL. On May 19, 1995, Dr. Mitchell

was given the National Rural Health Association's Rural Health Practitioner of the Year Award. The ceremony was part of the 18th Annual National Conference that was held in Atlanta, GA. The people of southeastern Illinois have known for over four decades of Dr. Mitchell's award winning contributions, and now the entire Nation does as well.

This is not the first time Dr. Mitchell has been recognized for his dedicated service to the people of rural Illinois. In 1993, he was awarded the Illinois Academy of Family Physicians' Family Physician of the Year Award. In 1992, he was honored with the Distinguished Service Award from Lake Land College. In addition, the Illinois State Senate honored him for his "commitment to public service in the State of Illinois."

Since 1946, Dr. George Mitchell has provided quality health care to the people of southeastern Illinois. Dr. Mitchell has worked 49 years with his community to help improve the lives of his friends and neighbors. Whether he is called upon to aid the ill, or to help ensure that the area has an organized and effective ambulance service, Dr. Mitchell is always willing to help the people of Clark County.

Mr. Speaker, Dr. Mitchell's lifelong commitment to patient care, community involvement, and continued contributions to his profession led to his being chosen as this year's National Rural Health Practitioner. For decades Dr. Mitchell has given of himself, so that others are able to live a better life. Dr. George Mitchell is an outstanding individual, and I am proud to represent him in the U.S. Congress.